

Application No.: 10/010,573

### REMARKS

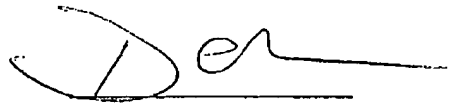
The above-identified amendment is respectfully requested to correct an informality noted in the application specification upon a final review. In particular, the amendment moves the reference to the priority application from the second paragraph to the first paragraph, and updates the information to include the patent number of the earlier application. As noted in the Declaration and on the filing receipt, this application claimed is a continuation-in-part of the referenced application.

The amendment to the specification above does not add any new matter, and is not believed to require further examination of the application. Moreover, the proposed amendment should not require a substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Office or the Examiner. As the amendment proposes to correct an informality, it is respectfully requested that the amendment be entered prior to issuance of the present application.

In the event that additional fees are required as a result of this response, including fees for extensions of time, such fees should be charged to USPTO Deposit Account No. 50-2737 for Basch & Nickerson LLP.

In the event the Examiner considers personal contact advantageous to the timely disposition of this case, the Examiner is hereby authorized to call Applicant's attorney, Duane C. Basch, at Telephone Number (585) 899-3970, Penfield, New York.

Respectfully submitted,



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